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Sex Offender Level III Notification

Date: 04/05/06

The Lewis County Sheriff's Office is releasing the following information pursuant to RCW 4.24.50, which authorizes law enforcement agencies to inform the public when the release of information will enhance public safety and protection.

The individual who appears on this notification has been convicted of a sex offense that requires registration with the Sheriff's Office. Further, their previous history places them in a classification level that reflects the potential to re-offend. The individual served the sentence imposed by the court and has properly notified the Sheriff's Office of their current address. The law does not require this offender to do anything other than register. THEY ARE NOT WANTED BY LAW ENFORCEMENT AT THIS TIME. THIS NOTIFICATION IS NOT INTENDED TO INCREASE FEAR; RATHER, IT IS OUR BELIEF THAT AN INFORMED PUBLIC IS A SAFER PUBLIC. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Detective Brad Borden or Chief Civil Deputy Gene Seiber at 360-748-9286.



Name: Joshua Michael Mirka

Address: 400 block of Bunker Creek Rd, Chehalis, WA

Date of Birth: 02/20/77

Height: 6'2" Weight: 270 Hair: Brown Eyes: Hazel

Sex: Male Race: White

Synopsis of Information: In 1998 Mirka pled guilty in Clallam County Superior Court to the crime of Indecent Liberties. The offense involved the sexual assault of an adult female that was incapacitated by medication she had taken. Due to a plea agreement other sexual offenses against multiple victims were dismissed. As a result of the conviction he was sentenced to 31 months in prison. Mirka was also found guilty of a prior sex offense. In 1997, Mirka pled guilty to the crime of Rape 3rd Degree in Clallam County Superior Court. The crime involved the sexual assault of a 23-year-old female he had known casually. He was pending action on this offense when he committed the indecent liberties. Based on the type

of crimes committed, Mirka has been classified as a high risk to re-offend.

Using this public information to threaten, intimidate or harass sex offenders will not be tolerated by the law enforcement agencies of Lewis County. This abuse could potentially terminate our ability to release this important information to the public.